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AN UNUSUAL FORM OF CATOCALA NUPTA L. — On 21st August 1971, at Orpington, Kent, I caught in my light trap a female *Catocala nupta* L. in which the red on the hindwings was entirely replaced by a chocolate brown colouration. The moth was normal in all other respects, although slightly larger than usual, having a wingspan of 84 mm. Other *nupta* in my possession range from 72 to 76 mm. in wingspan.—P. A. SOKOLOFF, 26 Pinchbeck Road, Green Street Green, Orpington, Kent. 28.viii.1971.